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THIS WEEK

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Local and General

W. C. Hoskins spent the week end with his family at Sylvan Lake.

Mrs. H. C. Jopling returned home on Tuesday from a visit to friends at Okotoks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McIntyre returned this week from their holidays, spent at Bellevue.

H. Whipple and E. J. Sanderson were business visitors to Lethbridge during the week.

Whooping cough is a late addition to household troubles for some residents of the district.

Miss Rachel Smith, of Calgary, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Smith.

Lost—License Plate No. 41-412 1928. Finder please return to John Hunniger or leave at Chronicle office.

Mrs. R. Harris and two children, were guests of Mrs. Geo. Nelson, returning with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson from Calgary.

Lethbridge Elks took charge of the work at the local Elks lodge on Tuesday evening, a pleasant and profitable time resulting.

W. Ulrich, Arthur, May and Florence, are on a motor trip to Spokane where they will visit Mr. Ulrich's mother.

Mrs. George Dupue and family returned from Sylvan Lake during the week, after a two weeks visit at the northern watering place.

The improvements to W. C. Hoskins' store are nearing completion and the result is highly satisfactory both as to interior and exterior appearance.

An auction sale of implements, harness, etc., will be held on Granlin Acres, implement premises on Saturday evening at 7:30. E. D. Matlock is the auctioneer.

C. H. Sutton is offering horses, harness and threshing equipment of all kinds for sale, including a McCormick-Dering threshing machine for sale. See ad elsewhere in this issue.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Granlin took place at the Champion cemetery on Thursday, July 19th. Rev. Mr. Toad, of Reid Hill officiating at the service in the house and at the grave.

Between elevator men, painters, carpenters, etc., the town is just about as full of men as it could properly look after. The country is also busy and mechanics of all kinds are in general demand.

Rapid progress is being made in the preliminary work in connection with the new school building, the basement being well advanced and material for the superstructure is being placed on the ground.

The estimate of the value of this year's crop by the owner's is reflected by the machinery purchases of the season, which are the largest ever experienced here. Of course, new cars and trucks will also be disposed of in record numbers.

Champion won the baseball tournament staged here last week, in a close finish with Lomond, the latter team having disposed of Arrowood in the first game. A long hit by G. Greenway was a feature of the finish when the game was tied.

The heat of the past few days has had rather a depressing effect on any special efforts to make things hum in business or other fields of endeavor. However, the warm weather is generally accepted as good for the crops, and the crops are always the big factor in the matter.

Painting on the Savoy hotel has reached a stage where the big improvement it will make in the appearance of these premises can be appreciated. The painting follows a general overhauling of the interior of the house and will make the Savoy one of the best hostels in the province in every way.

Local and General

J. Ross and Gordon McLean made the Banff-Windermere trip and had a thoroughly enjoyable time.

The Misses Loretta and Rheta Cassidy of Calgary, are the guests of Mrs. Theriault and are renewing acquaintances with many old time friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy are now located in Calgary.

The new sidewalk on the north side of main street has provided material for a sidewalk to O. Miller's and P. Clever's residences, the plans removed in the new construction being used for the purpose.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gill and family, and Mrs. Ellen Gill returned on Friday from their trip to the coast. They report a splendid and every enjoyable trip. Horace also acquired a new Hudson car while en route.

There has been quite a general movement in town towards the cutting of the weeds which have made such a wonderful growth this year. The improvement so far is very noticeable but there is still room for improvement.

The Home Grain elevator is being enlarged and improved by the travelling gang of this company, and incidentally Fred Clever's residence is benefitting by the replacing of the foundation injured by the high water of last spring.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Watts reached Banff on a vacation trip but were stopped there by news of the illness of Mr. Watts' mother at Rimby, Alberta. Don Stephenson, who accompanied them to Banff is now visiting in Calgary.

Lyman Jopling is spending the week on a visit to the Livingstone river, north of Lundbreck, winding up the trip with a week-end visit to Waterbury Lakes. He is accompanied by Tom Loney, the genial representative of the Mewburn Company.

Miss Lawrence, niece of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stephenson, has resigned her position on the Pincher Creek teaching staff and is now on her way to Dawson City where she has secured a specially lucrative position on the school staff. Her selection for the position was a decided recognition of special ability in the vocation.

The Carmanagay Agricultural Society have decided to hold all the juvenile sports on the first day of the fair. In addition the ladies' work and domestic science exhibits will be judged so that they will be open to the inspection of the public all day on the second day of the fair. There will be a senior baseball game about five o'clock on the first day of the fair.

The hot wave experienced this week has resulted in very rapid progress being made by all crops. Fall wheat is coloring rapidly in the last few days, while the fields of spring wheat are filling. Cutting of spring wheat is expected to begin about August 15th to 23rd. Rye is ready for the binder in some instances now, but there is very little of this grain in this vicinity as compared with some recent years.



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THURSDAY, July 20, 1928

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The splendid growth made by trees in the past three years has led to an almost general effort to increase the number of trees and thousands of these have been planted in all parts of the district. The effect is most gratifying.

The change from binders and thrashing machines to combines has taken on a magnitude, which is almost revolutionary. However it will be some time with such crops as are on the ground now before there will be any useless machines lying around.

Wheat prices are weakening to a considerable extent recently, a natural result of general good crops. There is a considerable time to go, however, before much of the grain is on the market and it has frequently happened that all expectations have been realized.

The health inspector was a visitor here recently and his report of conditions in town is far from satisfactory. The objectionable conditions are so easily removed that there is no excuse for not carrying out the suggestions offered. This matter is one of fairly long standing and should receive the immediate attention of the individuals involved. When it comes to a matter of public safety there should be a community effort in the direction of removing sanitary precautions. Enough said.

The weed problem is a growing and pressing one. As has been suggested before in these columns it is not a matter of the council taking action or of weed inspection. The movement for eradication must come from the individual farmers and necessitate recognition of the fact that weeds are impairing the value of the land and of the crops grown. This season has been unusually favorable for the weeds and illustrates the danger of permitting them to hold their own without every possible effort being made to eliminate them. There will be many years this year on which the value will be one half of what it would have been if proper cultivation had been given the land before sowing.

Alberta's crop acreage for 1928 shows a marked increase over that of the previous year according to preliminary figures issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. While this estimate is subject to revision on the compilation of the information secured through cards circulated to public schools, the first estimate of the acreage in various crops is as follows, the final estimate for 1927 being shown in brackets: Wheat, 6,806,100 (9,251,000); oats, 2,315,000 (2,248,000); barley, 406,000 (400,000); rye, 145,500 (156,547); flaxseed, 12,500 (12,397); potatoes, 31,100 (31,120).

With the final shipment which left early in July, the total number of buffalo transferred this season from the Watkinson Park to the reserve on the northern boundary of the province, reached 1,088 head. Meat can be prepared from the flesh of buffalo slaughtered at the park last

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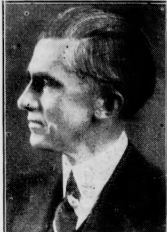
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CAPT. LOEWENSTEIN'S BODY IS LOCATED

Boulogne, France, July 19.—The body of Captain Alfred Loewenstein, noted Belgian financier, who disappeared from an airplane while it was crossing the English channel at a height of 4,000 feet on July 4, was found near here today.

CONSERVATIVES HAVE 32 MEMBERS AT LEAST IN B. C. LEGISLATURE

Vancouver, July 20.—With the election of Dr. H. C. Wrench, Liberal, in Skeena riding, indicated early this morning, the Liberals have elected ten of their candidates as a result of Vancouver's election. The Conservative total stands at 32 and Labor one. Five ridings are in doubt.

In Skeena, 21 out of 29 polls give Dr. Wrench 708 and Frank Dockrill, Conservative, 557, and the former's election is considered certain. Dr. Wrench represented the riding in the last legislature.

Vancouver, July 19.—Tabulation this morning of the situation in the forty-eight ridings of British Columbia following yesterday's elections shows:

Liberals elected—Alberni, Cranbrook, Nanaimo, New Westminster, Yale, North Vancouver, Okanagan, Revelstoke, Total eight.
Liberals leading—Columbia, Kamloops, Prince Rupert, McKenzie. Conservatives elected—Burnaby, Chilliwack, Carleton Place, Cowichan-Newcastle, Creston, Delta, Dewdney, Esquimalt, Grand Forks-Greenwood, The Islands, Nelson, North Okanagan, Richmond-Port Grey, Rossland-Trail, Saanich, Salmon Arm, Smithers, South Okanagan, South Vancouver, Vancouver City (6), Victoria City (4), Total 30.
Conservatives leading—Atlin, Fort George, Kootenay, Lillooet, Skeena.
Labor elected—Ferne.

Conservatives 32
Liberals 10
Labor 1
In doubt 5

Total seats 48
Conservatives leading in Fort George, Lillooet, and Mackenzie.
Liberals leading in Kamloops and Prince Rupert.

DAME ELLEN TERRY, NOTED BRITISH ACTRESS DIES IN LITTLE KENTISH FARMHOUSE

Small Hythe, Kent, England, July 21.—Dame Ellen Terry, British actress, beloved by playgoers the world over, died this morning in the little farm house tucked away in the wales of Kent, where she had quietly spent the last years of her life.
Death came at 8:30 a. m., after an uncomfortable night, during which she sank slowly to the end. When dawn appeared the doctor announced

the patient was considerably weaker. She passed away peacefully surrounded by her relatives. Her death marked the final period of her hopelessly struggle against a combination heart attack and cerebral hemorrhage from which she had been sinking slowly since Tuesday.

The whole wide world which loves such consummate art as that with which Ellen Terry charmed and thrilled lovers of the drama for more than half a century, was plunged into mourning by the news that the final curtain had been rung down on her great career.

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FORMER BISHOP PINKHAM OF CALGARY PASSES AWAY

Calgary, July 18.—Rt. Rev. Cyrian Pinkham, for 40 years Anglican bishop of Calgary, died at his residence in Calgary shortly after 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning.

Profound sorrow was expressed throughout the city when it became known that the Rt. Rev. Cyrian Pinkham, for forty years the beloved Anglican bishop of Calgary, had passed to his well earned rest. Practically up to very recently, the age prone retained a wonderful amount of vitality, but three days ago he lapsed into state of unconsciousness. Just before the actual transition his face wore a most beautiful smile, and that was all the warning that the loved ones gathered around the bedside had that his soul was leaving its earthly tenement.

SIXTH FORTNIGHTLY CROP REPORT

Seventy-five to eighty per cent. of the wheat crop throughout the province is in head and all grain crops continue to make rapid growth, according to telegraphic reports received by the Department of Agriculture on Friday for the sixth fortnightly crop report of the season.

Practically all sections of the province have benefited from intermittent showers during the past two weeks and moisture conditions are generally reported as highly satisfactory. Only in very few districts have low lying land suffered from the rainfall which has been well in excess of the average for July. Hot, dry weather would be beneficial now in some sections where early-sown wheat is approaching the filling stage. Oats and barley are making vigorous growth and these crops on early land are starting to head.

Conditions continue ideal for breaking, and particularly through the central and northern sections of the province, large areas of new land are being cleared and brought under cultivation in readiness for next year's crop. In some localities summerfallowing has been hampered to some extent by the excessive moisture in the soil and the same difficulty is reported in connection with the cultivation of the beet crop in the south.

Haying is well advanced in southern sections. A good crop of alfalfa and other cultivated hay is being cut and continued dry weather is essential to ensure proper curing.

Some hail damage to crop is reported but this is confined to very limited areas. Crops this season have been particularly free from insect and disease injury.

With prospects of a very satisfactory crop, harvesting is expected to start a few days earlier than in 1927 in the Peace River country where the grain acreage is considerably in excess of that of last year, and harvest throughout the province will commence about the third week in August.

STORK UNDAUNTED BY DARK TUNNEL

Vancouver, July 22.—An unique appearance of doctor Stork was discovered when the Canadian Pacific train No. 2 emerged from the Connaught tunnel on its way to the coast. After five miles of darkness it was learned that Mrs. H. Hackman, a resident of Vernon, B. C., who had boarded the train at Stoney Creek, had given birth to a

baby. The child will be able in about a year to lay claim to being the only white child born in a Rocky Mountain tunnel. Both mother and child are doing well in a Revelstoke hospital.

BRITISH PRESS IS MUCH PLEASED AT ACCEPTANCE OF KELLOGG NOTE

London, July 20.—Great Britain's acceptance of the Kellogg treaty to renounce war which was already widely advocated here, received warm approval in the majority of the morning newspapers.

The Times greeted the treaty as indicating the existence of a new attitude towards the waging of war. "Nothing can be gained," the paper said, "by supposing that the principle of the Kellogg pact are as yet capable of universal application, but history refutes the cynics who maintain that no improvement is possible. The area in which was highly improbable is being slowly but steadily extended and in this extension the new treaty must mark a notable stage."

The Daily Telegraph, paid tribute to Secretary Kellogg's ingenuity and undaunted perseverance. It welcomed the pact as "a promising success for his diplomacy."

"It is easy to scoff at the declaration against war as a mere lyrical or ideal form of words, while Europe remains an armed camp," said the Daily News.

"The real significance of the episode is the evidence it affords of the strength in all countries of the will to peace."

U. S. Into Partnership
The Daily Chronicle estimated that the importance of the treaty was that it brought the United States for the first time into a great partnership with the nations of the world.

The Morning Post, a paper which has always been skeptical of the organized peace movements such as the League of Nations, said: "The treaty commits nobody to anything that he would ever endorse to doing, therefore it can hardly be supposed that the most ardent interventionists will object to it."

The Socialist Daily Herald attacked Sir Austen Chamberlain for the British reservations "which are sufficient to make the treaty futile and useless and knock the bottom out of the whole thing."

The paper added: "We are going, with much solemnity, to pledge ourselves to do exactly nothing."

ADEQUATE SUPERVISION OF SCHOOLS—SUPERVISORY UNITS

What system might be introduced in this Province to provide adequate supervising of schools? The question arises because it is generally recognized that the present system of inspection of schools can hardly hope to solve to any extent the problem of helpful supervision to teachers.

The suggestion has been thrown out that the rural school board be abolished, local control eliminated and the whole system handled directly by the Department of Education which would place the teachers and pay them, appoint and direct all supervising officers as is at present the case with the inspectors of the schools. The wisdom of such an undertaking is very gravely open to question. In the first place, centralized system of administration are out of harmony with Anglo-Saxon ideals; we resist intuitively

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the placing the whole system of government in any one agency. The whole trend throughout the English-speaking world is to give individuals, groups of individuals or communities a chance to be progressive. Highly centralized systems of education (e.g., the French are the most lifeless and stereotyped in the world today. It may be a wonderful gesture for the minister in charge of education to tell him to say: "I can tell you what is going on in every school in this country at every moment of the day," but it is too beautiful when things are fashioned in too perfect a mould. Especially is this true of education, because the vital elements of individual initiative, emulation and competition are all crushed out and everybody is subordinated to the same standard of mediocrity. Education cannot thrive properly in such an atmosphere. If one of its primary aims is to be to train self-respecting individuals with initiative, courage and dignity, it cannot be done unless the teacher exercises initiative, courage freedom and dignity.

It is submitted that this province might be divided into areas sufficiently large to establish a fair and equitable system of taxation, taking into account the presence of rivers, mountain ranges and other natural features. Each area so created (call it a county) would have its own school board and appoint its own teachers and supervising officers, with powers of self-government over which the Department of Education might have rather broad discretion—say powers of control. If this were finally decided upon, rural schools and teachers would lose much of their present isolation. The teachers would be brought into fellowship with the entire teaching force throughout the county, working in sympathy and co-operation with and under the guidance of specialists. The system of supervision would then really supplement the work of normal schools and each unit would have an incentive to raise its schools to the highest possible degree.

In great Britain and in many parts of the United States there are county units which vary greatly in size and number of schools under their control. It is where the strong form of county control exists with some degree of government control, that the teaching service is best performed. It is here, obviously where the best systems of supervision prevail and it is generally recognized that no way of improving the teaching service in rural districts with so little expense has been devised; the quality of instruction responds more rapidly to efficient supervision than to any other agency.

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At the risk of being somewhat tiresome, the writer of this column feels impelled to once again direct attention to the subject appearing as the title to this article. Justification for such action, if, indeed, any justification is needed, is to be found in certain well established facts.

In the three prairie provinces last year the number of motor cars registered exceeded half a million.

In all three provinces, Governments and municipalities are straining their resources in the construction and improvement of good macadam roads and provincial highways, and every mile so constructed or improved results in an increase in motor vehicular traffic and an increase in the speed at which most of the cars will travel.

In the improvement of highways, advances are being constantly made in the direction of making them as nearly as possible "safe" through increases in width, reduction in grades and curves, guard rails at curves and danger spots, and a standardized system of marking the highways, indicating routes, turns, curves, railway crossings, danger spots, etc.

On the other hand, year by year, manufacturers of cars are increasing the power and speed of cars, and with gradual price reductions their use is becoming almost universal. It is true, of course, that four-wheel brakes and other safety devices, are being added, and manufacturers are interested and active in making their cars as nearly "fool proof" as they can be made.

The fact to emphasize, and which it is important should be drilled into the minds of every driver, is that no matter what Governments and municipalities may do in the matter of road construction, and no matter how strongly and carefully motor cars may be built and equipped from the prevention of accident standpoint, the human element remains. Neither roads nor cars can be made "fool proof," and the unfortunate fact is that the reckless driver is just as great a danger to others as he is to himself. If the highways of the country are to be made safe, it is evident that there must be a decided change in the attitude and conduct of many thousands of motor car drivers, and the public generally.

In an address before the annual convention of the Union of Saskatchewan Municipalities, Hon. S. J. Latta, announcing the early inauguration of a "Safety First" campaign throughout the Province, stated that he had recently read in a newspaper that someone was either killed or seriously injured every forty seconds in an automobile accident in the United States, and that during 1927 approximately 26,618 persons were killed and 793,700 injured in such accidents. He further referred to the fact that at a conference held in the Parliament Buildings of Ontario it was revealed that 1927 automobile accidents cost \$22,425 in Ontario, an increase of 124 over 1926, while 3,976 others were injured. It was further reported that fatalities were in the proportion of eight to each one thousand car licenses.

These are appalling figures and certainly indicate the need of someone controlling this great modern convenience. What was the cause of these accidents? Were they preventable? The results of investigations in the United States show that 11,750 highway accident fatalities in 1927 were caused principally by motorists, of which 3,705 were caused by inattention, 2,706 as the result of speeding, 2,353 through traffic violation, 1,659 from intoxication, and 1,852 from miscellaneous causes.

About an equal number of fatalities, 11,387 to be exact, were caused principally by pedestrians, of which number 3,838 occurred through children playing in the street or crossing in violation of traffic regulations, 3,069 from adult jay-walking, 1,419 through inattention, 1,391 as a result of confusion, and 1,259 from other causes.

As compared with these more than 23,000 fatalities caused by the human element, there were only 1,290 resulting from fog, snow or rain, 862 from some defect in the vehicle, 508 from skidding, 383 from road defects, 244 from strong lights, 244 from poor street lighting, and 105 from confusion in dimming lights. In other words, physical conditions were responsible for 3,446 fatalities as contrasted with over 23,000 for which people themselves were responsible.

Surely such a record provides ample justification for repeatedly urging people to exercise care, to realize that Common Sense will prevent accidents and should be applied, that the Safe way is the Safe way.

Prominent Visitors From Ireland

Marques Of Dufferin and Ava Will Make Tour Of Canada

The Marquess of Dufferin and Ava, speaker of the senate of Northern Ireland, who is a son of a former governor-general of Canada, was a passenger on the Empress of Scotland, which arrived at Quebec recently. In a short interview he declared it was his intention to visit Canada from coast to coast on his present stay here. Regarding the industrial situation in Northern Ireland, the Marquess declared that, with the exception of a slight improvement in the shipbuilding industry at Belfast, there was little change as compared with a year ago.

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Third Wrigley Marathon

Ernst Vierkotter a Sure Entry in This Outstanding Event

While much dissatisfaction has been expressed by Vierkotter and his manager regarding the shortening of the distance for the Third Wrigley Marathon, again to be conducted by the Canadian National Exhibition this year, there can be no question about his entering as he is daily training in Lake Ontario.

He seems to be carrying more advantage than he did last year, and experts say that he is a little sluggish. This, of course, at this stage of the game, means little. George Young is the size of a young elephant and swims more or less sluggishly in comparison. Both of them will undoubtedly take this off in the course of their intensive training, so that the entries are more or less impossible at this time.

Vierkotter is a great swimmer and unlike most athletes, runs fast. Witness his feat of last year when he covered the first five miles under 28 minutes each. That should be fast enough to win this year's Marathon.

From a spectacular standpoint the third Marathon will be a first. Second. The course will be along the sea wall, and will be in full view of the tens of thousands of spectators who will again flock to see the great event.

The entries are now coming in thick and fast and it is estimated that they will exceed those of last year.

GUARD BABY'S HEALTH IN THE SUMMER

The summer months are the most dangerous to children. The complications of this season, which are cholera infantum, colic, diarrhoea and dysentery, come on so quickly that often the one who is second sick before the mother realizes he is ill. The mother must be on her guard to prevent these troubles, or if they do come on suddenly to banish them.

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London will add 75 double-decked omnibuses, fitted with pneumatic tires, this year.

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Many Farmers Join Pool

Estimated That About Half the Wheat Crop Of West Contributed

The Canadian Wheat Pool, which embraces 142,000 Canadian farmers, continues to add to its membership. In a single day last week 1,000 were received at head office covering a total of nearly 100,000 acres of grain.

Under the Canadian Wheat Pool system farmers voluntarily sign contracts in which they agree to market all their wheat through the Pool for a period of five years. About half the wheat crop of Western Canada is controlled in this way, and sales by the Pool average over a million dollars for every business day of the year. It is claimed that the Pool has increased the price of wheat to the farmer without increasing the price of bread to the consumer.

Canada's Fox Farms Forty thousand hairy black foxes were registered in Canada from various fox farms during the past year, the report of the Canadian Silver Skin Fox Association shows. Saskatchewan registered only 793 of the pups, fox farming in this province not yet having reached the proportions attained in other sections of the Dominion.

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Did Not Find Out A Popular Scotch doctor who was very sensitive about his age passed away suddenly. One of his friends suggested to the mourners that the secret would be disclosed on the plate in the casket. But when they looked at it, all it disclosed was:

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Phantom Radios

Device Whereby Radio Fans Can Broadcast Through His Loud Speaker

The genius of Earl W. Davidson, a railway telegraph operator, who likes to be in the room with radio sets in his off hours, has made it possible for the long suffering radio fan to shout his sentiments right into his loud speaker with the assurance that people for miles around will hear his protest.

The workings of the phantom radio, invented by Davidson, are very simple. The effect is to transform any loud speaker into a broadcasting microphone whose waves will ride out into the air on the wave length of the station into which the set is tuned.

At his home at Terre Hill, Penn. Davidson has talked through his receiving loud speaker to his neighbors as far as fourteen miles, getting his words in edgewise during the hours of broadcasting programs from Chicago, Pittsburgh and New York.

He says the secret of his invention is in the arrangement of the circuit, in which he uses a crystal and three ordinary tubes.

Davidson came to New York last week to demonstrate the "Phantom Radio." He has gone back home to continue his experiments.

Marks Alberta's First Mine

Cairn Erected In Lethbridge By Canadian Historical Society

The memory of a father of Confederation and the foundation of one of the most important communities and coal mining areas in the West, was recalled by the celebration at Lethbridge, on July 18. The Canadian Historical Association has erected a cairn in the town to commemorate the opening of the first coal mine in Alberta. In 1872, a party of men, led by James Smith, who was then a resident in the town, before the Canadian Pacific Railway had appeared to open up the country to settlement. In the economies, the Lethbridge Historical Society, the Natural Resources Department of the Canadian Pacific Board of Trade of Lethbridge and the City Council and others took an interest.

Demonstrated Her Skill

Winnipeg's first and only aviator, Ellen Magill, demonstrated her skill by soaring to a height of 8,000 feet with the Winnipeg Flying Club's Moth plane, and tail-spinning for the first time since she took her first solo flight.

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The average size of a farm in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta is 258 acres with 147 acres under field crops including 80 acres in wheat. The average value is \$14,421.

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MYSTERY ENDS BY FINDING BODY OF LOEWENSTEIN

Boulogne-Sur-Mer, France. — The finding of the body of Captain Alfred Loewenstein, missing Belgian millionaire, has cleared up most of the grim mystery surrounding his disappearance from a cross-channel aeroplane on July 4.

French and Belgian authorities will still have to determine whether Loewenstein accidentally fell from the plane as it flew 4,000 feet over the English Channel, or deliberately writhed open the exit door and plunged to his death.

But the ugly rumors that the financier had perpetrated a gigantic hoax and was still alive were definitely set at rest by the finding of the body.

The battered body was found floating face downward ten miles off Cape Gris Nez, by the Boulogne fishing smack 555, Capt. Jean Marie Beaugrand, and was readily identified by a wrist watch engraved "Cap. Loewenstein, 35 Rue de la Science, Brussels."

Otherwise the body was unrecognizable, as it was in an advanced stage of decomposition.

The body was clothed only in underclothes, socks and shoes, the latter bearing the name of an English maker. There was a severe wound in the abdomen and both feet were broken.

At the Boulogne morgue Dr. Boulogne made a formal post-mortem examination, and the results of the examination of the remains. No official conclusion was made public.

It is believed here that now that the mystery of the financier's disappearance has been solved, the French government will begin an official inquiry to establish whether the death was accidental or a suicide, and if any of Captain Loewenstein's fellow passengers in the plane will share any responsibility for his death.

Bavarian Town Was Damaged By Floods

Oberammergau, Famous For Its Passion Play, Was Submerged

Berlin.—Oberammergau, the Bavarian town, famous for its Passion Play, has been partly demolished by floods.

The town was submerged when cloud-bursts caused the river Lahn to overflow. Bridges were swept away. Torches had to be used in relief work until dawn, because the local power plant was flooded.

As floods menaced the Oberammergau district the neighboring Teichberg forest, near Paderborn, was ablaze.

Considering Air Insurance

Canadian Companies Believe People Will Want This Protection

Ottawa.—Canadian insurance companies are considering special forms of insurance for civilians interested themselves in aviation. It is learned recently a conference of actuaries and insurance medical authorities in London has discussed the matter, realizing that soon the man who drives his own plane will be in the same category as the man who drives his own car, so far as the demand for insurance is concerned.

Motor Boat Beats Train

German Expert Drives Craft Nearly Mile a Minute

Cologne, Germany. — Fritz von Opel, German sportsman and motor boat expert, beat an express train with his 560 horsepower motor boat in a race over a distance of 10 kilometers (6.3 miles on the Rhine).

Van Opel drove his boat the distance in six minutes and 12 seconds, 2½ minutes faster than the train running along the river bank. The average speed of the boat was 58.4 miles an hour.

Federal Government To Issue Pigskins

Ottawa.—The Dominion Government is going in for pigskin-licensing. The object is not, however, to increase the food supply of the country. It is to breed and train pigskins for purposes of communication. The department of national defense is to have charge of the work.

Glasgow, Scotland, was recently fired because some of its mounted street cars exceeded the speed limit.

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Receives New Appointment

Dr. Delury Of Saskatchewan University Will Go To Manitoba

Winnipeg, Man.—Dr. R. C. Delury, of the University of Saskatchewan, will succeed Dr. R. C. Wallace as commissioner of geology and mineralogy at the University of Manitoba. The appointment was announced by the government.

Dr. Delury expects to make the necessary arrangements with the University of Saskatchewan to make it possible to take up his duties here September 1, when Dr. R. C. Wallace leaves to take over the position of president of the University of Alberta.

Dr. Delury is well known in Winnipeg and Manitoba. He was for many years the right hand man of Dr. Wallace in his department of geology and mineralogy at the University of Manitoba. In that capacity he rendered valuable service to the province. One of his latest contributions was a voluminous report which he prepared two or three years ago for the industrial development board. It is only a year ago since he left to organize the department of geology at the University of Saskatchewan as professor in charge of that department.

Dr. Delury is a graduate of the University of Toronto and of the University of Minnesota, and was in charge of the department of geology in the University of Idaho before he came to Manitoba in 1913.

Would Export Alberta Gas

Plan To Pipe Waste Gas To Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Montana

Lethbridge, Alta.—Alberta's problem of waste gas seems closer to solution and it appears to be in the pipeline of the surplus gas to Saskatchewan and Manitoba cities, and the cities of Montana.

In an interview here, Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of the interior, gave it as his opinion the shipping of gas 800 miles to Winnipeg, serving immediate cities including Moose Jaw and Regina, was feasible.

After exportation of gas from the Rogers dome just south and east of the 60,000,000 cubic feet, and the plans of this company and the Hardwood Company, of Calgary, who will drill the wells, are to have gas flowing through their pipe line into Montana by winter. A pipeline will be built to the Montana boundary, it is announced, either to link up with the present pipe line that Great Falls or as a separate line into that city.

Libel Action Settled

Action Was Brought By Cardinal Hayes Against London Newspaper

London.—Settlement of a libel action brought by Cardinal Hayes of New York, against the Sunday Express was announced in the King's Bench division.

Counsel stated that a paragraph published in the Sunday Express of the 24th of June, in which the cardinal was a man who exuded murder of Kevin O'Higgins, Irish Free State minister of justice, on the ground that he was an "English hireling."

Counsel said that the defendants were suggested for one moment that the statement, which had been made by a contributor, could be justified and promptly did the honorable thing by apologizing for having published

Receive Royal Pictures To National Gallery

Gift Of King George Replaces Portraits Destroyed By Fire

Ottawa.—Pictures of King George, Queen Mary, Prince of Wales, King Edward and Queen Alexandra, were received by Eric Brown, director of the National Art Gallery, on behalf of the Canadian Government. These portraits are the gift of King George and will replace the pictures of the British royal family of the royal family which were in the old parliament buildings but were destroyed when the buildings were burned in 1916.

Will Tour Canada

Quebec.—A member of the National Council of Commerce, of Great Britain, headed by Counselor James Stanworth, president of the Chamber of Commerce, arrived here and immediately proceeded to Montreal by train. The party will tour Canada, staying in Montreal two days before going to Ottawa.

Russia Buys Canadian Wheat

Further Sales Of Canadian Wheat To Russia Are Announced

Winnipeg.—Further sales of Canadian wheat to Russia were announced at the grain exchange here. That country has taken another 1,500,000 bushels, bringing her total purchases during the past fortnight to 9,500,000 bushels.

A good portion of the grain was No. 3 Northern Manitoba. Italy is credited with the purchase of one million bushels of Durum wheat recently, mostly from the local market. Demand from other European countries remains indifferent partly because of increased native supplies and partly on account of prospects for large crops on the North American continent this year.

Feeling Against Noble

Leader Of Italia Expedita Under Criticism In Norway

Oslo, Norway.—Feeling against General Umberto Noble, leader of the Italia Expedita, is making itself felt in Oslo.

The newspaper Aftenposten removed a picture of the general from a show case during the day as threats had been made to destroy it.

Several Danish explorers have proposed Fridtjof Hansen as chairman of a court of honor to investigate Noble's leadership of the expedition. Hansen declined this but said that he thought there were several errors in Noble's expedition that need closer investigation.

CONSERVATIVES WIN IN B. C. BY LARGE MAJORITY

Vancouver.—The Liberal Government which has held power in British Columbia for the past twelve years, and which has been led by Premier J. D. Maclean for the past year, was defeated in the provincial elections and the Conservative party, under the leadership of H. S. F. Tolmie, was elected to power.

The Premier and at least two of his ministers were defeated. Dr. Tolmie was elected in Saanich. Premier Maclean was defeated in Victoria. Hon. Dugald Denaghy, minister of finance, in Vancouver. Dr. E. Barrow, minister of agriculture in Chilliwack.

Liberals have been elected in New Westminster, Cranbrook, and Nanaimo.

Conservatives have been returned in Vancouver six, Victoria four, in Esquimalt, in the Interior, in Kamloops, Burnaby, South Vancouver, North Okanagan, Chilliwack, Coquitlam-Seawac, Comox and The Islands.

The Liberals gained Cranbrook from the Conservatives, while the Conservatives have gained all six Vancouver seats, five from Liberals and one from the new defense: Provincial party; Chilliwack from Liberals; Comox from Independents; Burnaby from Labor; South Vancouver from Labor.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith was defeated by R. H. Pooley, in Esquimalt. Of the 48 seats contested in the provincial election of 1921, in the Legislature, the Liberals carried 23 in the last count; the Conservatives, 17; Labor 3; Provincials, 3; Independents, 1; and Independents, 1.

PREMIER-ELECT FOR B.C.

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Clark's Status Discussed

Duties Of British High Commissioner In Canada Debated In House

London.—The British Government's newly appointed high commissioner in Canada, Sir William Clark, who is sailing for Ottawa shortly, and the duties of the newly created position were discussed in the House of Commons when P. J. Hanson, "Conservative," asked whether the High Commissioner would take precedence over the representative of all foreign powers at Ottawa, and if in submitting proposals respecting British commercial interests to the Government of Canada, he would have full diplomatic support of his Majesty's government in Britain.

Right Hon. L. C. M. S. Amery, Dominion Secretary, in replying reminded the questioner of the similar case of the Dominion high commissioners in Britain, who ranked immediately after cabinet ministers, but not before cabinet undersecretaries. It was of course contemplated that the high commissioner of Great Britain, in Canada, would be authorized to make representations on commercial questions to the Canadian government when instructed to do so by His Majesty's government in Great Britain, the minister said.

Statistics Show Crime Increase In Canada

Convictions Recorded In 1927 Higher Than Previous Year

Ottawa.—Crime is increasing in Canada. Latest official statistics available show that for the year ended September 30, 1927, the number of convictions recorded reached a total of 21,075 as compared with 18,761 for the preceding period ended September 30, 1926.

The number of indictable offences returned for the year under review, according to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, was 23,208 charges and 18,835 convictions. Summary convictions for non-indictable offences amounted to 188,240.

Will Succeed Dr. Wallace

Winnipeg.—Dr. R. C. Delury, of Saskatchewan, will succeed Dr. R. C. Wallace, as commissioner of Mines and Manitoba, and as professor of geology and mineralogy at the University of Manitoba. Dr. Delury expects to take over his duties when Prof. Wallace leaves to take the position of Professor of Mines at the Alberta University.

Norwegian Journalists Visiting Canada



Party of representative Norwegian journalists now touring Canada, under arrangements made by the Canadian Pacific's Department of Colonization and Development, visiting the various home settlements in the Dominion and gaining first-hand impressions as to immigration prospects.

Canadian Militia Promotions

A Number Of Transfers and Promotions Are Announced

Ottawa.—The rank of "brigadier" recently introduced in the British Army has been adopted in the Canadian Militia, with effect from July 1. The temporary rank of "brigadier" is in substitution for the temporary ranks of colonel commandant and colonel-in-the-staff.

Orders have been promulgated from defence headquarters announcing a number of important promotions in the Canadian Militia. Among them are the following:

Major R. H. Hope has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant-colonel and to command the Vancouver Regiment with regimental headquarters at Vancouver. B.C., vice lieutenant-Col. B. G. Wolfe Morton, who has been transferred to the reserve of officers.

Major W. W. Henderson has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant-colonel and to command the 2nd Regiment, the Alberta Mounted Rifles, with regimental headquarters at Finch Creek, Alta., vice lieutenant-Col. J. H. Jackson, transferred to the reserve of officers.

May Establish Trade Treaty With Germany

Four Would Lead Canada's Export List, Says N. B. Palmer

Ottawa.—N. B. Palmer, Canada's trade representative in Germany, said that trade with Germany will be greatly increased under favorable treaty agreements which the Dominion is negotiating to establish with that country, said Max B. Palmer, of Calgary, newly appointed assistant Canadian Trade Commissioner to Berlin, who was here in connection with a tour of the Maritime provinces with a view to developing Maritime export trade with Germany.

In speaking of Canada's trade conditions with Germany, Mr. Palmer stated that at the present time Canada is negotiating against a return of existing agreements which particularly affected the export of goods as well as other commodities. Should the trade treaties being advanced by the Canadian Government go through successfully, Mr. Palmer is of the opinion that four would lead Canada's export list to Germany:

ASSASSIN OF GEN. OREGON IS IDENTIFIED

Mexico City.—Police headquarters recently announced that the assassin of General Oregon had been identified as Jose de Leon Toral, an art student, aged 23, a native of Jalisco, the State of Jalisco.

He is said to have lived at Guadalajara, but to have come to Mexico City in 1926, after seeking work. Police said they found him in a picture of the Catholic priest, Miguel Augustin Prohaires, who was executed in connection with the attempt to assassinate Oregon with bombs last November.

It was said that de Leon Toral refused to admit accomplices in the attempt to assassinate Oregon with a picture of the Catholic priest, Miguel Augustin Prohaires, who was executed in connection with the attempt to assassinate Oregon with bombs last November.

Federal district police arrested and held for investigation Emilio Casado, proprietor of the restaurant where Oregon was killed at San Angel, and all twelve employees of the place. Government censorship of dispatches was still in force.

El Universal Gráfico says that the mother and wife of the assassin have been arrested and are being held.

In a signed statement, President Francisco Iles Calles declared that the assassin of General Oregon had admitted the motive of his crime was religious fervor.

There were innumerable rumors in the capital of uprisings and other killings, but all proved to be untrue. Intense excitement prevailed everywhere, but neither the newspapers nor the government had any information of trouble breaking out anywhere in the republic. The war department issued an official communique saying that the army would guarantee the public peace.

President Calles was surrounded by a strong guard. All saloons were closed, as were theatres and other places of amusement.

Many of those known to be opposed to Oregon, fled from Mexico City before the fury of his friends and supporters, which were kept in bounds only by police precautions. The headquarters of Luis Morones, Secretary of Labor, and Oregon's President, the Cactus-Slovakian government has introduced a measure in parliament restoring medals and titles which were abolished after the revolution.

GENERAL NOBLE TO RETURN HOME IN QUIET MANNER

Kings Bay, Spitzbergen. — The man who came from Italy in a giant trawler and sailed for the Pole to the applause of a world which loves brave gestures and deeds of daring—General Umberto Noble, commander of the expedition, will return home on a coal freighter, avoiding all possible ports of call, it was announced by one of his associates.

The general will travel over an unannounced destination where he will be picked up by a motor-driven schooner and taken to Germany or France. It was said he would leave in a few days.

Noble will not travel with the men who sailed with him, with him fifteen men, of whom two were left crippled by the ice and six others blown away in the wreckage of the ship, the general said.

The seven men who were rescued by the steamship Krasnia, after Noble had been brought out, by the Swedish aviator, Captain Ernst Palmberg, will return at least a part of the way, aboard the Italian's base ship.

Noble will avoid touching at any port in Norway. An unfriendly sentiment has been manifested in Norway toward the Italian polar expedition since two of Noble's companions, Captain Adalberto Mariano, and Filippo Zappi were picked up on the ship, the Italian polar expedition, Swedish scientist, had been left behind at the icy insistence to die by a grave search twelve dead men—six with Mariano and Zappi arrived with five other rescued Italians on the Krasnia recently.

Dr. Di Milano probably will proceed to Narvik as soon as possible with the survivors, then return to King's Bay to continue the search for the lost men—six with the Italian, and six, including Roald Amundsen, in a French seaplane, which left Tromsø, Norway, June 16, to search for Noble.

Information from Stockholm indicated the government would order the ship, the Italian polar expedition, of Captain Thorborg to return immediately to Sweden.

Hail Damages Crop Of Wheat King

Experimental Plots Of A. C. Mitchell, Dabbins, Are Badly Hit

Dabbins. — Prospects of J. C. Mitchell, Saskatchewan Wheat King, regarding the international crop, were seriously jeopardized by the worst hail storm experienced in this district, which ruined many crops. The hail was about 2½ inches in diameter, completely ruined and on 30 acres, a 50 per cent. loss. Fortunately the hail did not damage 150 acres of wheat, which were badly damaged at grain.

The damage to the Mitchell crop was estimated at \$200,000. The wheat to the wheat producers of the West, for included in the damaged crop were experimental plots which the wheat king had been growing during this summer. His plot of the famous mystery wheat, Howard, was also a complete loss.

No Claims Paid This Year

Government Does Not Intend To Pay Reparations Now

Ottawa, Ont.—Although the War Reparations Commission has made his report which was made public last season, the government does not intend to pay the claims for a year.

Part of the money for this purpose was included in Hon. James A. Robb's surplus. There was much disappointment among the big claimants at the size of their awards. They may be revised by the Government, but the 3,000 small claimants will be the most affected. The War Reparation Commissioner P. Riel found over million for Memorial Fund.

London.—The fund contributed by Britons, the world over, for a national memorial to the late Queen Alexandra has reached a total of \$1,165,000. The visible memorial will take the form of a bronze group designed by Alfred Gilbert, and it will be erected at Marlborough House, opposite St. James Palace, but the bulk of the fund is to be used to extend the present memorial garden fund.

Have Restored Titles

Prague.—The Czech-Slovakian government has introduced a measure in parliament restoring medals and titles which were abolished after the revolution.

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The Champion Women's Institute has received an invitation to the annual "At Home" of Golden Rule Women's Institute, which will be held at the Alston hall on Thursday, Aug. 2nd, at 2:30 p.m. It is hoped that a large number from Champion will attend. Will anyone who can furnish a car please notify Mrs. J. N. Beaubler on Monday.

Picnic Supper

Last Saturday p.m. some twenty-five relatives gathered at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Smith, the guest of honor being Mrs. L. M. Thompson, of Virgo, Wis., sister of Mesdames Smith, Wise and L. M. Groves. Those present were D. A. Smith and family, Mrs. Boyd, L. M. Groves and son, James Groves and wife and infant daughter, H. E. Smith, H. E. Smith Jr. and wife, Fred Wise and family, Hallie Smith, Carl Hendriksen, Miss Augusta McNaughton and Miss Rachel Smith. The afternoon was spent in visiting. At 6:30 a delicious supper was served at Smith's Camp, Mrs. Fred Wise assisting the hostess.

A Request For General Co-operation

Anyone in the district having soil products in grain, threshed or unthreshed, grasses, roots or vegetables, is requested to inform any member of the committee engaged in preparing a community exhibit for Champion for the Carmanay Fair on August 9th and 10th. The members of the committee are: Mrs. M. Sison, Mrs. U. S. Alexander, Messrs. G. F. Smith, J. N. Beaubler and B. N. Woodhull. General co-operation in this matter will be highly appreciated by the Women's Institute, in charge of the exhibit.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Cowell on Monday evening, the occasion being in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harris, recent newweds. The affair was entirely enjoyable in every way, a lawn dance being a feature. The guests of honor were presented with a carving set and tray, accompanied by the best wishes of the donors for their future happiness.

An additional street light was placed in the sub-division during the week which has largely improved conditions there, for work on dark nights. So long as the homeward bound wayfarer can count the lights in the row and pick out the one nearest to his own domicile there is little chance of getting lost even on the darkest night.

Recent visitors to the Peace River country were P. M. Patterson and Frank Racher. Their itinerary in the north was very extensive, some thousands of miles being covered after their arrival there. They both express appreciation of the extent and fertility of the northern empire, and predict a great future for it. They did not locate any land, but their estimate of the possibilities of the district would prove of value to other intending visitors.

VILLAGE OF CHAMPION

Notice Re Health Bylaw

Residents of the Village are warned that all premises must be put in sanitary condition at the earliest possible moment, as the health inspector is returning here in a few days and action will be taken against all individuals failing to comply with the requirements of the act.
H. Cooper, Sec. Treas.

For Sale

A cow coming in fresh immediately. Phone 1108—J. A. Carlson.

For Sale

Fairbanks-Morse 3 h.p. engine in good condition.
McCormick Deering 112 h.p. engine, nearly new.
Apply Savoy Hotel

Auction Sale

Of all my Household Furniture,

Saturday, July 28,

commencing 2:30 p.m., consisting of Cook Stove, 3-Burner Oil Stove with Oven, Gurney-Oxford Heater, Quebec Heater, Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet, Kit. Cupboard, Table and 3 Chairs; solid oak Extension Table and 2 Chairs; Couch, Camp Chair, Radio Table, Bookcase, Set Book of Knowledge, 2 Beds and Mattresses, Crib, 2 Chests Drawers, Washstand, Singer drop-head Sewing Machine, Maytag Washing Machine with 1 h.p. Maytag Engine, about 10 dozen Sealers, 2 Storm Doors and two Screens, Gramophone, Cooking Utensils, Fire Extinguisher, Congoleum, Gasoline Lamp, Mirror, Garden Tools, Wash Tub, Boiler, 2 Water Barrels and other small articles.

E. BRIDGETT, Prop'r

K. R. McLean R. O. Sight Specialist, 212 Herald Bldg., Calgary, will make his monthly professional visit to Champion, at the Drug Store, Friday, August 3rd.

FOR SALE

Horses, Harness, Binders Bundle Racks, Grain Tanks Water Tanks, etc. All Implements are in first-class shape. Both heavy and light horses, young and old.

Also McCormick-Deering 28 inch Separator, good as new.

See C. H. SUTTON for further information in regard to above. Phone 1214, Champion.

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VIERRA'S HAWAIIANS
Presenting an evening in Hawaii on the last night.

VILLAGE OF CHAMPION

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that bicycle riding is strictly prohibited on sidewalks in the Village of Champion. Any persons disregarding this notice will be prosecuted.

By Order,
A. McCULLOUGH Mayor.

The Bible Teaches THAT Christ Gives Life

John 20:31—But these are written that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ the Son of God; and believing ye might have life through His name.

Therefore the Lutheran Church teaches:

Christ Saves You

You are invited to attend Lutheran Services in Champion Church Sunday, August 12th, at 3:30 p.m.

REV. F. DÜSENING, Pastor.

The Savoy Cafe

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Ice Cream and Ice Cold Drinks.

Monthly Rate \$30.00
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Special Lunch for Parties at Special Prices.

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Pastor—S. R. Hunt, B.A., B.D.

SUNDAY SERVICES

11 a.m.—Sunday School.
Preaching services are withdrawn while the pastor is away on his holidays. He expects to return about Aug. 10.

Making Regular Shipments of HOGS.

Let us know what you have to sell.

Champion Meat Market

Important Notice

Whereas climatic and other conditions, over which the farmer has no control, have prevented a number of Pool members from delivering their wheat prior to date set for cut-off, July 16th, 1928, the Board of Directors, by resolution passed the 17th day of July, 1928, have authorized that any street wheat delivered at, or any carloads billed out of country houses, on or before July 31st, 1928, be settled for on a basis of the 1927-28 Pool prices.

Members delivering wheat between the dates July 16th and August 1st will receive the initial payment on the 1928-29 initial payment schedule, but an adjustment will be made by the Pool Head Office, which will bring the payment up to the 1927-28 Pool average price.

Alberta Wheat Pool

HOLT COMBINES

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